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# The Intelligencer.

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## Clubs as League Electioneering Weapons.

The animated and determined campaign for the presidency of the Republican League of Pennsylvania has raised a question that would be readily decided if there were no candidacies in the way. The friends of Mr. Dalzell, one of the two strongest aspirants, are organizing clubs right and left to increase his voting strength in next month's convention. The friends of Mr. Robinson, Mr. Dalzell's most formidable opponent, complain that this plan of campaign is not fair, since it reduces the convention to a mere mass meeting to be captured by the candidate who can run in the largest number of his partisans.

The Dalzell men hit back by asking who is to decide what motive inspires the forming of clubs, and whether it is not the desire of all Republicans in Pennsylvania that as many clubs shall be set to work as possible. The Dalzell men would like to know further who is going to take the responsibility of saying that delegates coming with proper credentials from duly organized clubs shall be shut out because their respective clubs have not been in existence from time immemorial.

It is very clear that if there were no fight on every Pennsylvania Republican would be glad to see all the men of his party organized in clubs in the hope that some of the new clubs would hold together long enough to be of use in the campaign. There would be no very close scrutiny of credentials. There would be open doors and a general welcome, as we have seen in West Virginia. It is also true that if it were not for the contest over League honors very many of the clubs now forming and recently formed would not have been thought of. Therefore in any fair consideration of the question of new clubs and their standing the personal phase of the question must be taken into account.

There should be some test of the good faith of the club organization, something to show that it is not a mere move to get votes for an aspirant, something to indicate that the club has in view some work for the party. These questions cannot always be determined easily and with exact justice to all concerned. A time test is one of the most reasonable and one of the easiest to apply. In Pennsylvania it is proposed to try to rule out all clubs not in existence one month before the convention. This would be a very mild rule, for the fight has been on much longer than a month and clubs have been formed or dead organizations revived with seemingly no other object than to help a favorite in the voting.

If the Republican League is to be a permanent organization, as it friends hope it is, the desire for its honors will grow as those honors come to be of greater importance. It would, therefore, be fair and politic to provide that a club to have standing in the State League Convention must have been in regular standing for one year previous to the convention, regular standing to include the payment of dues into the State League treasury. Republicans desiring to form new clubs and being at the same time interested in party success would not object to this measure of fairness for the common protection.

Some such rule should be adopted in every State before the contest which is sure to come as the League grows in importance and influence. It ought to be adopted in West Virginia, where we expect something from the Republican League.

## A Typhoid Warning.

Typhoid fever is taking hold of Allegheny City in earnest. Within the past two weeks more than a hundred cases have been taken to the general hospital. Of course there are many cases that have not been taken to the hospital. Bad water is the cause assigned.

If flesh-and-blood enemies had disabled those one hundred persons so that it was necessary to take them to the hospital, what a state of mind the people of Allegheny would be in. If they could locate the evil-doers there would be some wholesale trouble. The difference in agents makes no difference in the result.

Wheeling is in the same boat with other Ohio river communities, drinking water known to be unfit for drinking, paying heavily for drinking it and making no effort to get any other water. This submission to preventable disease and death is beyond comprehension.

Wheeling needs the services of a competent engineer, who shall take in the whole situation and give us his recom-

mendation. No other question presses so for a solution. What is to be gained by waiting?

**The Colored Man in the South.**  
Under the head of "Advice to the brother in black," the Birmingham Age-Herald makes an admission. It tells the southern colored man to hold off until he learns who will pay him most for his vote in the Republican national convention and then sell to the highest bidder, reminding him that "he is no account in the campaign that follows, and he never gets any of the pie when he is left to a Republican dispenser."

Why is the colored man in the South of no account in a national campaign? He is numerous enough to amount to very much. Everybody understands why he counts for nothing, and the reason is bound up in the bitter Democratic opposition to any national legislation that looks to making him an effective force at the polls.

As for pie—the colored man in the South is not expecting that. But the Democratic party is not willing that he shall have his fair share of common, every-day hog and hominy.

## A Tariff Illustration.

The Sumatra tobacco side of the tariff question will hardly fill with comfort the heaving bosoms of the already much disturbed free traders. To be told by Sumatra planters that McKinley tariff compels them to come to this country to raise their tobacco; to have it crammed down their throats that there is as good soil in this country for this grade of tobacco as there is in Sumatra, is a drastic dose for any free trader to be obliged to take.

Protectionists will find consolation in the employment of American labor to raise tobacco for the American market in place of the cheap Chinese labor employed by the Sumatra planters. Gradually we are discovering that ours is a great country with great capabilities. Things once thought impossible to us are found to be as easy as rolling off a log.

## A Pretty Fight.

The Seventh Ward Democratic Club's communication to the Council committee on fire department is interesting, but not enough so to move the committee to action. For a necessary vote a Democratic candidate for chief of police makes a dicker with a Democratic councilman to keep in his place a Republican member of the fire department, and to make sure of it, the Democratic candidate is forced to sign an agreement. This is the complaint of the Seventh Ward Democratic Club, which doesn't like this sort of thing, and feels that it has been sold out. It is a pretty little fight as it stands.

The Israelites of Baltimore are going to work in a practical way to stand by their brethren from the old world who come over to seek liberty in the land of liberty. The cause of these oppressed people appeals strongly to everybody who believes in fair play. The fleeing Russian Jews will get their first taste of freedom when they land in this country.

Persons who have examined bricks from the collapsed buildings in New York were struck with the absence of mortar on them. Now there is blood on them. If the guilty are within reach they have cut out a fine job for the law. To put up a building known to be unsafe should be held everywhere to be murder in the first degree.

Mr. T. V. Powderly has accepted a nomination by Republicans as delegate to the Pennsylvania constitutional convention. Mr. Powderly has been supposed to be a Democrat with some leanings toward the People's party.

If oil operators knew how the Standard cat is going to jump they might know about how far off the red flag is. The Standard gambles on a certainty, which isn't considered honorable among people of its class.

Russia has her faults, but unlike New York, sulking over the World's Fair isn't one of them. Russia will be with us on that auspicious occasion, and she promises to be here with samples of her full line of goods.

Now comes Hon. S. B. Elkins and deposes and says that he has not been commissioned by Mr. Blaine to talk politics with the President. This is crowding the mourners.

The exchange of courtesies between the foreign powers are very pretty, but not quite so dramatic as the war in which one of these days they will rush head-over-heels.

Mr. Blaine will have to say something to somebody about the Presidency or some newspapers will never speak to him some more. It is a painful situation.

The Sons of Veterans are growing at a fine rate. The order appeals to the patriotic sentiment of the young men who are eligible to its membership.

Another expert swimmer ventured too far out and went down. It is a pity that these fine young fellows cannot be made expert in prudence.

Major McKinley will have to retract his speech. The Democratic organs do not like it and it has not had a tonic effect on Gov. Campbell.

If Emin Pasha wishes to enjoy his recent success he should tell the world less about it. Stanley will be rescuing him again willy nilly.

GERMANY wants France to hit her. That's all for the present.

## Deserves Prosperity.

Stonerville Star.

The Wheeling INTELLIGENCER has entered upon its fortieth volume, after having been advanced almost twenty years in appearance since the thirty-ninth year began. The INTELLIGENCER is the champion of the Ohio Valley in

advancing its development, and it richly deserves the prosperity that attends its successful career.

## LIVING AND LABOR.

China is to have flour mills. Our railroads employ 3,000,000. Illinois leads in railroad mileage. Uncle Sam is worth \$62,500,000,000. New York has 60,000 night workers. The world has 325 electric railroads. Two billion dollars in various trusts. A new locomotive consumes its smoke. Coal is being mined now at Ellwood, Ohio.

London button-hole makers get 35 cents a day.

Missouri has the biggest fruit farm, 2,000 acres.

Spanish quicksilver miners get twenty cents a day.

Hungarian miners get from 34 to 62 cents a day.

Boston cigarmakers have \$30,000 in their treasury.

There are 200,000 oil holes in the earth. They cost \$900,000,000.

London omnibus drivers gained \$90,000 a year by winning their stake.

A wire nail mill for the coast will be started at Fort Gardner, Puget Sound.

Coal is reported to have been found at Marble Falls, Tex., and at Hopedale, Ill.

Girls in a wire woven cloth mill at Trenton were cut from 12 to 20 per cent.

Union cigarmakers at San Francisco not in the Labor day parade will be fined.

The late strike cost the coal miners in the vicinity of Oskaloosa, Iowa, nearly \$300,000.

The railway employees in Minnesota will hold a mass convention at St. Paul on August 25.

The co-operative foundry at Somerset, Mass., has failed after an existence of twenty-four years.

Missouri employers are observing the law compelling the payment of wages every two weeks.

It is stated that there are 72,000 pianos made annually in America, and that three pounds of steel wire are used for each instrument.

New York upholsterers, on September 1, will demand nine hours with ten hours' pay, and the prohibition of overtime to not more than fifty-three hours a week.

The band saw is fast superseding the circular saw for all kinds of work. The latest application is made by the tailors, who are using it with great success for cutting cloth.

The cigarmakers of Chicago have spent about \$30,000 to win their strike for higher wages. In less than four months the money will be repaid by the increase of their wages.

The great 125 ton steam hammer at the Bethlehem iron works—the largest in the world—has been completed, and has begun its work of making heavy forgings for guns and armor plates.

There is said to be but one place in the world where absolutely pure sugar is made. The manufactory is in Germany and supplies chemists and druggists with the chemically pure article.

Out of 1,145 strikes in England last year, in which 344,480 people took part, 476 were successful, 207 were failures and 94 were undecided. The average duration of the strikes was eighteen days.

It has been reckoned that if the whole ocean should be dried up, all water passing away in vapor, the amount of salt remaining would be enough to cover 5,000,000 square miles with a layer one mile thick.

Members of the Waiters' Alliance seem united in the declaration that if it were not for the generosity of the public hotel and restaurant waiters would find it impossible to live and support their families.

Halliday, the inventor of the cable street car system, states that the sight of six horses vainly endeavoring to pull a car up a steep hill at San Francisco first suggested to him the foundation for his invention.

The new tin plate works at Ellwood, Ind., which are now under construction, will when in operation be able to turn out 4,000 boxes of tin per week. This output will be increased as fast as possible until 12,000 boxes will be made per week.

The Cedar Mountain Steel Company was recently organized at Knoxville, Tenn. The company has bought twenty acres of brown hematite iron ore on the Doe river, five miles above Elizabethton, and will immediately put up a thirty-ton blast furnace to make steel ingots by the Canby direct process.

**HUMOROUS PARAGRAPHS**

Poverty-stricken suitor—"Be mine, Amanda, and I will treat you like an angel." Amanda—"I should think so. Nothing to eat and still less to wear. Not me."—*Figaro.*

"I understand your barn has been burned," said a sympathetic citizen to an out-of-town farmer the other day. "Yes," was the gloomy response; "I ain't got no barn nor nothink to put nothink into nor nothink."—*Cape Cod Item.*

Papa—"I understand, daughter, that new suitor of yours is a base ball celebrity?" Daughter—"Yes, papa, he is the greatest short stop in the country." Papa—"Short stop, eh? Well, I hope he will remember his specialty when he calls on you."—*Boston Courier.*

A hard-working woman was asked: "Madam, are you a woman suffragist?" "No, sir," was the answer. "I haven't time to be." "Haven't time. Well, if you had the privilege of voting, whom would you support?" The same man I have been supporting for the last ten years." "And who is that?" "My husband."—*Lincoln, (Neb.) Journal.*

The wayward young man, broken in health, had gone to the far Southwest to recuperate. He was in jail at Tombstone, Ari., for stealing a hindquarter of beef. In the loneliness of his cell he sat down and wrote as follows: "DEAR FATHER—I have picked some flesh since I came out here, but I am still confined to my room. Please send me \$100," etc.—*Chicago Tribune.*

Some people are constantly troubled with boils—no sooner does one heal than another makes its appearance. A thorough course of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, the best of blood purifiers, effectually puts an end to this annoyance. We recommend a trial.

**Her Favorite.**

My wife is subject to cramp in the stomach. She has tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and that is her medicine now for a speedy relief. It never fails. S. S. Beaver, McAllisterville, Juniata county, Pa. For sale by C. K. Goetze, W. W. Irwin, Jno. Klari, C. Schneck, G. Menke, Miller, W. S. McCullough, M. W. Helmer, W. E. Williams, S. L. Brice, Jno. Coleman and W. H. Williams, Wheeling, W. Va.; Bowie & Co., Bridgeport, Ohio; B. F. Peabody, Benwood, W. Va.

**A TEACHERS' INSTITUTE**

On a New Plan to be held for the benefit of the City Schoolmarms Next Week.

Preliminary to the opening of the city schools on September 7 there will be an institute, beginning on Tuesday, September 1. The meetings will be held in the hall of the Y. M. C. A. The sessions will begin at 9 o'clock in the morning and continue till about 12:30. Meetings will be held on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. There will be no paid instructors.

In addition to talks by the superintendent and principals, several teachers will illustrate methods in which they had acknowledged success.

There will be also several persons who will take part other than those connected with the schools. Among them are Dr. C. F. Ulrich, Superintendent H. N. Mertz, Superintendent D. A. Williams, Mrs. C. M. Alford and Hon. G. W. Atkinson, while others will be present and take part during the week.

Miss Lucy Robinson will have charge of the singing.

## NO STATE APPLICANTS.

Not much work to be done by Local Teachers' Examiners.

By appointment of State Superintendent of Schools Morgan an examination of teachers who were applicants for State certificates, was to be held in Wheeling yesterday, but not an application was received by City Superintendent Anderson, who was in charge of the proposed examination.

The city board of examiners examined on August 14 applicants for the new certificates. There were but three of these, two colored and one white. There were but two new teachers to be appointed, and though there were many applicants, all but these three were graduates from the city schools and held certificates by virtue of that fact. It has been customary to re-examine teachers who already held certificates just about "once in so often." There was a constant uneasiness on the part of the teachers lest the board should some day take a notion to examine them. This has now been obviated by the recent action of the board of education, on recommendation of Superintendent Anderson, that there be annual examinations, commencing next year, in two or three branches. Next summer all the teachers will be examined in arithmetic and spelling only. The year after two other branches will be taken up, and so on. By this arrangement the teachers know what to expect.

## Resolutions of Respect.

At a meeting of Fort Henry Lodge, No. 2, S. of H., held on Monday evening, August 17, 1891, the following resolutions were read and adopted:

*Resolved*, That inasmuch as it has pleased Divine Providence to remove from our Lodge by death our esteemed and worthy brother, Henry West, we feel that the Lodge has lost a good and faithful member and his family a kind and affectionate husband and father, one who was ever ready to do his duty towards them.

*Resolved*, That we bow in humble submission to the will of Him who doeth all things well and who comforteth the sorrowing in their distress.

*Resolved*, That we extend to the family of our deceased brother our tenderest sympathy in this their sad and sudden affliction.

*Resolved*, That a copy of these resolutions be presented to the family, be published in the daily papers of the city, and spread upon the minutes.

W. C. MARLING,

P. S. GOULD,

HENRY HILDEBRANDT, JR.,

Committee.

## Resolutions of Respect of the German Bank.

At a special meeting of the directors of The German Bank of Wheeling, held this 24th day of August, 1891, the following preamble and resolutions were adopted:

WHEREAS, It has pleased God in His wisdom to remove from us by death our friend, associate and President of this Bank, Hon. Chester D. Hubbard; and

WHEREAS, We recognize in his death the loss of one of the Bank's most faithful and efficient officers, to whose wise counsels and deep interest this institution owes much of its prosperity; therefore, be it

*Resolved*, That we hereby express our deep regret at the loss we have sustained, and that we extend to his bereaved family our most heartfelt sympathy in this sad hour of their affliction, and

*Resolved*, That as a further mark of our respect and esteem, we, the directors of the German Bank, attend his funeral in a body, and close our counting room on the afternoon of the interment, and that the cashier be authorized to forward to the family of the deceased a copy of these resolutions and also engrave them on the minutes of the Bank.

L. J. BATHA, Cashier.

## School for Girls and Young Boys.

Mrs. M. Stevens Hart, principal of the school for young ladies and girls, may be seen or addressed at her residence, No. 727 Main street. With the opening of the commodious rooms in the Crangle Block, Miss Mae Belle Hart will continue in charge of the primary department for girls and boys.

## Last Excursion to the Seashore via B. & O. Railroad.

The last opportunity of the summer to visit Atlantic City at the extremely low rate offered by the Baltimore & Ohio railroad will be on Thursday, August 27th, when the series of successful and popular midsummer excursions will close. This excursion, however, will not be at the end of the gay season at the shore. Just as many attractions will abound then as earlier in the season and there will be just as many visitors to enjoy them. For this, as for all previous excursions, the Baltimore & Ohio railroad will provide the excellent train service with Pullman parlor or sleeping cars attached, which have rendered these midsummer trips so popular. Passengers on day trains can spend the night in Philadelphia and take any train of the Reading route the following day, Friday for the shore. Tickets will be valid for return passage on any regular train until September 5, inclusive, and on return journey will permit holder to stop off at Washington.

Trains leave Wheeling at 5:45 a. m. and 6:10 p. m., and for these two trains only will tickets be sold. Pullman parlor cars through to Philadelphia without change on morning train and Pullman sleeping cars on evening train.

Round trip rate, \$10. Correspondingly low rates from other stations. See

Baltimore & Ohio Harvest Excursion.

August 25 the Baltimore & Ohio Company will sell excursion tickets from Wheeling and Bellaire to points in the west, northwest and southwest at reduced rates, good returning thirty days from date of sale. For particulars enquire of Baltimore & Ohio ticket agents.

Edw. J. Rose & Co. are now offering special bargains in wheels, having a large lot of good second-hand and shopworn Safeties and Ordinaries, which they are selling very rapidly at the prices they are asking.

## CAMPBELL'S ILLNESS.

A Co-respondent is Itomitted of Some Late History—A Timely Warning.

To the Editor of the Intelligencer.

Sir:—You know me? Yes, thank you; I supposed you did. I do not doubt that Governor Campbell, of Ohio, is sick—nauseated with the silver plank he has to stand on, but let us diagnose his illness in the light of another patient who was taken suddenly with a hemorrhage of "principles"—Governor Hoadly. Mr. Hoadly may have been sick—sick of his party; but at any rate he went to the sea shore—or, more properly speaking, to the shores of the sea, and then isolated himself in Philadelphia, and let the campaign run itself. You know the result. Mr. Hoadly was elected. He had nothing to say, and said it.

I want to warn my dear old Ohio Republican friends—Private Dalzell excepted—that sympathy is a great thing, but it is not found in the lexicon of politics. Governor Campbell is no doubt ill, but leave the physical illness out of the question and look to his disordered mind when conning the Ohio Democratic platform. I sympathize with Governor Campbell personally, but not politically. He is sick; he ought to be sick of that Columbus platform, but Mr. Editor won't you please warn our Ohio friends of the convenient retchings of the stomach of our dear friends on the other side. In other words, the "seaside racket" is ancient. When a candidate can't say anything the sea air is good for him. Don't let our valiant neighbors be fooled. Let them remember Hoadly's silent campaign. I hope I don't intrude. Let there be no monkey business.

You Know: P. S.—Vote for McKinley, my dear Ohio Democrats, and you won't regret it.

Y. K.

Wheeling, Across from Ohio, Idea of August.

**The Rev. Talmage Does His Part.**

Railroad Guide.

General Passenger Agent Lee is in receipt of a letter from Rev. T. De Witt Talmage, who traveled via the Colorado Midland in his recent lecturing tour through the West. We quote some of the gems:

"The Colorado Midland" (Pike's Peak route) is an enchantment from the first spike of the rail to the last switch. The engineering that made possible such a road eclipses everything I have seen. In places the red rocks are left in shapes which suggest deserted cities, Alhambras, obelisks, coliseums and Egyptian pyramids. The whole region shows what the Almighty can do with rocks." And this shows what a G. P. A. can do with a pass.

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## LABOR DAY!

FIFTH ANNUAL